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First Named Inventor: STRUB, et al

Application Number: 09/557,081

Filing Date: April 21, 2000

Group Art Unit: 2615

Examiner: Thai Tran

**REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION (RCE) TRANSMITTAL**

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This is a Request for Continued Examination (RCE) under 37 CFR §1.114 of the above-identified application.

1. Submission required under 37 CFR §1.114

a. ☒ Previously submitted:

☒ Consider the amendment(s)/reply under 37 CFR §1.116 previously filed on February 21, 2003.

☐ Consider the arguments in the Appeal Brief or Reply Brief previously filed on

☐ Other \_\_\_\_\_

b. Enclosed:

☒ Amendment/Reply

☐ Affidavit(s)/Declaration(s)

☐ Information Disclosure Statement (IDS)

☐ Other

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c. Fee Calculation: The fee for excess claims, if applicable, has been calculated as shown below.

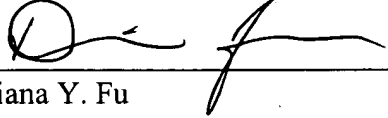
Claims				
Remaining After <u>Amendment</u>	Highest Previously <u>Paid For</u>	Present <u>Extra</u>	SMALL ENTITY <u>RATE FEE</u> OR	LARGE ENTITY <u>RATE FEE</u>
TOTAL CLAIMS _____ - _____			X9 = \$	OR X18 = \$
INDEP CLAIMS _____ - _____			X42 = \$	OR X84 = \$
[ ] Multiple Dependent Claim Present and Fee Not Previously Paid			\$140	\$280
TOTAL			\$ _____	\$ 0

2. Miscellaneous:

- a. ☐ Suspension of action on the above-identified application is requested under 37 CFR §1.103(c) for a period of \_\_\_\_\_ months.
- b. ☐ Other \_\_\_\_\_
3. ☐ Applicant hereby petitions for a \_\_\_\_\_ month extension of time.
4. ☒ Applicant(s) hereby petition that any additional required extension of time be granted.
5. ☒ Enclosed is our Check No. 788 in the amount of \$750.00 to cover the RCE Fee required under 37 CFR §1.17 (e), the additional claim fee, if any, and/or extension of time fees.
6. ☐ Please charge Deposit Account No. 50-0685 ( ) in the amount of \$ \_\_\_\_\_ to cover the additional claim fee and/or extension of time fees.
7. ☒ If the required fees are missing or any additional fees are required during the pendency of the subject application, please charge such fees or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 50-0685 (INT1P928C1).
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